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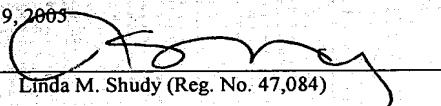
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**AMENDMENT**

SIR:

In response to the *Ex parte Quayle* action mailed on November 8, 2004, please reconsider the above-identified application based on the following.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended Fig. 6 and new Fig. 8 are attached following the Remarks section of this paper.